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GERMAN LOSS IN BELGIUM IS 25 000

GERMANS BEFORE LIEGE TODAY ASK ARMISTICE OF 24 HOURS

BRITISH NAVY DRIVES GERMAN FLEET TO EASTERN PART OF NORTH SEA AND IS IN POSSESSION OF REST OF THE WATERS

KAISER'S SHIPS ARE HEMMED IN ON EASTERN WATERS AND AT MERCY OF ENGLISH FLEET.

CAPTURE GOLD CARGO

ENGLISH BATTLESHIPS INTERCEPT \$2,500,000 IN GOLD SHIPPED FROM SOUTH AMERICA.

GERMAN CRUISERS SET SAIL

Commanders of Goeben and Breslau Make Wills Before Sailing to Meet British. TODAY.

GERMAN FLEET HEMMED IN.

(Associated Press.) London, Aug. 7.—A dispatch to the News from New Castle says that a wireless received there at midnight from South Shields is to the effect that the British fleet engaged the German high seas fleet in a heavy battle off South Dogger banks, in which the German fleet was driven back in the direction of Holland.

The dispatch says that it is reported the German fleet is now hemmed in on the eastern side of the North Sea, and that all the rest of the sea is now under the control of the British fleet.

Support for this report is found in the official permission which has been given to fishing trawlers to resume fishing operations. The Admiralty.

"After the German mine-layer Koenigen Louise was sunk the British cruiser Amphion struck a mine and was sunk. The fore part of the British ship was shattered by the explosion and all who were not killed by the explosion were rescued. Twenty German prisoners of war, who were confined in the forepart of the ship, were killed." Churchill said that fifty of the Koenigen Louise's crew had been saved by the British. SAYS MANY WERE SUNK.

A ship owner at Whitby says that 19 German ships were sunk or captured in the battle on the North Sea and that several British and French vessels were sunk.

CROWN PRINCE INJURED.

London, Aug. 7.—The Standard says that the German Crown Prince was seriously injured by an unknown assassin, who escaped.

TOKIO IN READINESS.

Tokio, Japan, Aug. 7.—The reserve army officers have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for possible mobilization.

REPORT ALL LOSSES.

London, Aug. 7.—Lord Churchill, first lord of admiralty, announced to the House of Commons at noon today that there had been no fighting and no losses of any kind other than those already officially made public.

MRS. WOODROW WILSON The Nation Mourns the Death of Its "First Lady."



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KILLED BY TRAIN WHILE ENROUTE TO BIER OF DEAD KING

I. T. OLMSTEAD OF MILLEDGEVILLE MET TRAGIC DEATH EARLY THIS MORNING.

CONTRACTOR T. P. RUTH DEAD

Passed Away at Sterling Home Following Attack of Paralysis.

(Special to The Telegraph.) Sterling, Aug. 7.—T. P. Ruth, a well known contractor of this city, who formerly lived in Polo, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Foster Pike, of this city, at 5:20 o'clock this morning as a result of a paralytic stroke he suffered Wednesday, and exactly four hours afterwards his brother-in-law, I. T. Olmstead, of Milledgeville, was struck and instantly killed by a Burlington express train, while he was hurrying to Sterling in response to the message announcing the death of Mr. Ruth.

Mr. Ruth, who is well known in contracting circles in this vicinity, has but recently completed the erection of the Lawrence Brothers' factory and office buildings in this city, and was engaged in the construction of a big new office building for the national Manufacturing Company of this city when he was stricken by Paralysis Wednesday. He grew steadily weaker until the end came this morning. The funeral will be held at his Sterling home Sunday and will be in charge of the Knights Templar.

Struck by Train. Mr. Olmstead, when he received

HER LAST WORDS WERE FOR HUSBAND

MRS. WOODROW WILSON'S LAST CONSCIOUS THOUGHT WAS FOR THE PRESIDENT.

FAMILY WAS AT BEDSIDE

Death Came Quietly to "First Lady of the Land" at 5 O'Clock Thursday Afternoon.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—A flood of telegrams from every state in the union and from abroad poured into the White House today expressing sympathy for the Wilson family in the death of Mrs. Wilson.

It was announced that funeral services at the White House will be private and that burial will probably take place at Rome, Ga.

The cabinet meeting for today was cancelled. President Wilson is desirous that congress continue its sessions without interruption.

Washington, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president, died at 5 o'clock Thursday evening. Her death resulted from Bright's disease, from which she had been a sufferer since she came to the White House.

Recently this had been aggravated by a general nervous breakdown, which began when she was injured by a fall on the marble floor of the White House in February and was accelerated by the strenuous social season and activity in social betterment work and other humanitarian endeavors.

Mrs. Wilson had known since Wednesday that her death was near. With her at the end were the president and their three daughters, Mrs. Sayre, Mrs. McAdoo and Miss Margaret Wilson. Several times in the course of the day Mrs. Wilson was conscious, and at 4 o'clock, an hour before her death, aroused sufficiently to bestow a peaceful smile of recognition and farewell upon the president and each of her children.

Slum Bill Passage Cheers.

Shortly after 11 o'clock, Thursday morning Mrs. Wilson was cheered by the knowledge that the senate of the United States had passed the Johnson bill abolishing slums from the capital, for which she had worked zealously last fall.

Earlier in the morning she had told the president she believed she could go more cheerfully if she knew the bill was passed. The president, through Secretary Tumulty communicated Mrs. Wilson's wish to congress and the task of enacting the bill with extraordinary haste was undertaken. As soon as the president learned of the passage of the bill by the senate he hastened to carry the news to the sick room.

Some time after this about noon,

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the message of Mr. Ruth's death, was at his home in Milledgeville. He immediately prepared to come to Sterling and was enroute in his automobile to the Milledgeville barber shop when he was struck by a fast express train on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad. The car was reduced to splinters and Mr. Olmstead was frightfully mangled, practically every bone in his body being broken.

SUMMARY OF LATEST WAR DEVELOPEMENTS

YESTERDAY.

Reports which filter in over a cable and telegraph service, which is already more than half paralyzed, all make very clear the desperate character of the war.

The British House of Commons voted a second war credit of \$500,000,000 and authorized Lord Kitchener to enroll 500,000 more soldiers in his army.

Kaiser Wilhelm countered by issuing an order to the army and navy in which he calls upon all Germans who are capable of bearing arms to rally in the support of the German empire.

Discounting wild rumors and unconfirmed reports the developments of the day emphasize the world-wide scope of the naval war. A. S. D. I. C. scope of the naval war.

The North Sea is filled with fighting and fleeing English, German and French vessels.

The great fleets of Germany are reported to be engaged with the English fleets in a battle on the high seas off the coast of Holland.

The British cruiser Amphion has been sunk by a mine off the German coast with a loss of 130 sailors.

As a result of minor engagements between destroyers and scout ships thirty wounded soldiers have been taken into Harwick on the coast of England.

The English battleship ESHRSSR The English port of Hull has been ordered to prepare for the reception of 200 wounded and captured, both English and Germans.

From London comes the story that since the war began the English fleet has captured seventy-five German merchantmen with cargoes valued at \$75,000,000.

LATE WAR BULLETINS

(By Associated Press)

STEAMER HIT MINE.

Constantinople, Aug. 7.—The British steamer Craigroth struck a mine near here and was beached.

COURT MARTIAL.

Paris, Aug. 7.—Five hundred persons who were arrested during disturbances of the past few days will be tried by court martial.

PRINCE IN SERVICE.

London, Aug. 7.—The Prince of Wales will go into active service at once, according to announcement made today.

ASKS WOMEN'S AID.

Paris, Aug. 7.—The French premier today appealed to the women of France to gather the wheat and wine crops.

RELIEVING AUSTRIANS.

Athens, Greece, Aug. 7.—A dispatch from Nish, Serbia, says that Bulgarian volunteers are forming along the southwest frontier, replacing the Austrian troops who are being withdrawn to the Russian lines.

FRONTIER QUIET.

Paris, Aug. 7.—At midnight the whole frontier was reported to be quiet.

ESTABLISH PRESS BUREAU.

London, Aug. 7.—The government will establish a press bureau to disseminate correct information regarding the movement of Great Britain's forces.

VESSELS MUST LEAVE.

London, Aug. 7.—The German cruisers, Goeben and Breslau, which were obliged by Italian neutrality to leave San Salvador, Sicily, have sailed to meet the British Mediterranean fleet. It is reported their commanders made their wills before sailing.

U. S. ISSUES ORDERS.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Foreign merchant ships which are being converted for war purposes or for carrying foreign reserves in organized manner will not be permitted to clear from the United States.

TENTH GERMAN ARMY CORPS ROUTED WHEN BELGIANS SHOT MINE

ATTACK BY KAISER'S REINFORCED TROOPS LAST NIGHT RESULTED IN AWFUL LOSSES BY GERMANS — NOT A SINGLE FORT HAS FALLEN INTO HANDS OF THE ENEMY, SAYS BELGIAN WAR DEPARTMENT—REPORT GERMAN CROWN PRINCE INJURED BY AN UNKNOWN ASSASSIN.

TWELVE HUNDRED WOUNDED PICKED UP

BULLETIN. (Associated Press)

NO REPORT OF WARSAW'S FALL.

Washington, Aug. 7.—The State Department has no reports of the taking of Warsaw by the Germans. The officials attribute the rumor to that effect to an earlier dispatch which said the Russian general staff had decided not to defend the city.

AUSTRIANS ANNIHILATED.

Rome, Italy, Aug. 7 (via London)—An unconfirmed news dispatch says that an Austrian regiment has been annihilated by the Servians east of Belgrade. The Austrians are said to be in full retreat toward the Danube river.

ADMIT LOSS OF 25,000

London, Aug. 7.—An Exchange Telegraph Company's Brussels dispatch says that the German troops at Liege acknowledged a loss of twenty-five thousand men. The agency says the statement is official.

Another dispatch says that the French army has now entered Belgium and has advanced well into the country.

GERMANS ASK ARMISTICE.

London, Aug. 7.—A dispatch from Brussels to the Exchange Telegraph Company says the Germans who have been attacking Liege have asked for an armistice of twenty-four hours.

REPORT GERMANS IN LIEGE?

Paris, Aug. 7.—Official reports say that the German troops have entered the city of Liege, Belgium, but have been unable to take the forts. Violent fighting is going on in the streets of the city, according to these reports. The Belgians are reported to have captured twenty-seven German cannons.

DENY REPORT OF REVERSES.

London, Aug. 7.—Reports of German reverses before Liege are denied by Berlin.

BELGIANS BLOW UP GERMANS.

Liege, Belgium, Aug. 6 (Midnight)—The Tenth German Army Corps, reinforced by cavalry, attacked Liege last night. As they crossed a zone which had been mined, the mines were exploded by the Belgians and whole battalions of Germans were killed. Twelve hundred wounded were picked up. Not a single fort has fallen into the Germans' hands.

MARTIAL LAW IN BELGIUM.

Brussels, Aug. 7.—Martial law has been declared in Belgium.

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In The Field of Sports

THE BASEBALL SCORE

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FEDERAL LEAGUE.

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season and while perfecting a splendid playing organization has been handicapped by the constant desertion or crippling of star men. The same held true with the Stars for a time but now they have patched up their team and are prepared for a comfortable place in the bunkhouse. The Brunswicks and Utilities have been the most fortunate in retaining men and played with practically the same nines all year. This has been a great advantage to them as is evidenced by their standings. Both have played conservative ball. Recently, however, the Brunswicks have suffered misfortune in the loss of Kuhn who sprained an ankle in Sunday's game.

But with or without ill-fortune or tough luck the fact remains that the teams of the league are mighty fine organizations of amateurs and play baseball that is far out of the ordinary. Every game played at Lincoln park is worth seeing and some of the tighter ones have been especially so. Those booked for Sunday promise to be exceptionally close and far from dull. They promise a little real excitement. They will be the right thing in baseball so don't miss out.

Laura Jean Libbey's Talks on Heart Topics

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JUST TO SUIT THE GIRLS.

"Without our hopes, without our fears, Without the home that plighted love endears, Without the smile from partial beauty won, O what were man? A world without a sun."

Where there are a houseful of girls many a father may declare with truth that he does not know where he is at. The modest little cottage on the side street was good enough for the growing family for years.

But with the graduation of the first daughter everything changes. "We must move into a better neighborhood," the mother declares emphatically. Before the head of the house can raise a protest his wife adds quickly, "This place has done very well up to the present."

"As long as it suits us and has suited us from the day I brought you here a bride, I refuse to budge an inch—just because it would please the girls to make a change," declares the father.

"We owe it to our daughters to do the best we can by them," urges the wife. "We must find a place by May moving day. I have already signified that we don't want this house any longer. The landlord has rented it and new tenants move in May 1."

Despite father's explosive language he has to scurry about to find a new home. There's two of the girls in the market. That means a double parlor. There must be a porch as well, for summer sparking, a well-appointed dining room on the first floor, for the general run of young men include dining time with courting time.

Before father gets through with his calculating, he finds that the new domicile requires a couple of servants. The old-fashioned furniture which did duty while the girls were growing must go to the second-hand shop. Mother declares she won't have a stick of it about the house to shame the girls. Pa makes an eloquent, manly plea to save the carpet around which so many fond memories cluster.

It was the first thing they saved up money for when they went to house-keeping. He is quickly frowned down. Ma declares the parlors must have hardwood floors and handsome rugs, which can be rolled up and put aside when fashionable dances are held at the house. "The girls must entertain, no matter how we pinch and save for it," she says. Pa sighs and wishes they were all boys. But when the girls run up to him, fling their soft arms about him, press their sweet young lips to his, he wouldn't exchange those girls for sons if each one of them was a crowned king.

One glance into the girls' happy eyes and he feels that he could make any sacrifice to suit them. The birdlings are not in the home nest for long. Why remain in a house that doesn't please the daughters? There'll be a great deal of May flitting, but change of scenes, sight of new faces, will be exhilarating as new wine to the old folks. For the girls it will bring new romances—another blithing by the next May.

Look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. The date may be wrong.

NEXT TUESDAY IS SPECIAL ELECTION DAY

VOTERS OF DIXON TO DECIDE GRANTING S. D. & E. FRANCHISE ON CRAWFORD AVE.

LINE TO LEILPTIC COLONY

Extension of Line to Colony Is Part of Requirements of Administrative Board.

Next Tuesday is special election day in Dixon, for on that day the voters of the city will be asked to grant to the Sterling, Dixon & Eastern Electric Railway company a franchise to construct and operate on North Crawford avenue an extension of their street car line. The judges of election have been named by the commissioners and they will get their supplies at the city clerk's office Monday.

To State Colony.

The erection of this street car line on North Crawford avenue from Fellows street to the city limits is a part of the requirements of the state board of administration for the erection of the state epileptic colony north of the city, and accordingly it is believed that there will be no opposition to the granting of the franchise. The polling places for the election will be the usual ones for city elections and the polls will be open from 7 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

NO TRACE OF DEAD MAN'S COMPANION

AMBOY AUTHORITIES UNABLE TO ESTABLISH IDENTITY OF NEGRO KILLED BY CARS.

Reports from Amboy are to the effect that no further information has been obtained concerning the identity of the negro whose body was found along the Illinois Central tracks north of the city early Thursday morning, but the Peoria authorities have been asked to endeavor to establish his identity and are now at work on this phase of the mystery.

The body of the negro who with a companion had been playing a mandolin and guitar on the streets of Amboy Wednesday night, was found on the tracks north of the city by Engineer Eaton at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. The head was badly mangled and one foot was cut off. It is the belief of railroad men that the negro either fell or was pushed from the top of the train, and that the cut in the head, which undoubtedly caused death, was received in the fall.

The negro who had been the unfortunate fellow's companion in Amboy the night before could not be found, and accordingly the authorities have been unable to establish his identity. A card was found in his pocket bearing a name and an address. The last name on the card was so poorly written that it could not be deciphered and the only clues the officers have are "ames."

The remains of the unfortunate fellow will be kept for several days, in the hope that relatives or friends may be found, but in case no such information is received they will be buried in the potter's field at Amboy.

KAISER DRIVEN TO FIGHT SAY FREINDS

BRITISH CABINET IS DIVIDED ON QUESTION SOME INSISTING GERMANY SOUGHT PEACE.

London, Aug. 7.—Is Kaiser Wilhelm a Machiavellian monarch or was he forced into war by hard necessity? Did he treacherously plan for 26 years to break the peace of Europe with a view to German aggrandizement and personal glory or has he been compelled to take up arms to save the fatherland? Is his present widespread offensive campaign for the sole purpose of shattering what he terms the "iron ring" of his neighbors or is it an effort to realize a magnified Napoleonism?

These question are the subject of debate in the highest political circles of England and differences of opinion concerning them have sundered the British cabinet.

Friends of the Kaiser and those who trust him still believe that it was the Russian czar and not the German emperor who plunged Europe into war. Up to the last they held that the Kaiser was striving for peace and that Russia was mobilizing with what William must regard as a determination to cross the German and Austrian frontiers.

Get a music book. You will not regret it. Only a few left.

TOKIO'S TAMMANY HAS BEEN OVERTHROWN

RECENT ELECTIONS DISSOLVED RING THAT HAS DOMINATED MUNICIPALITY.

(Associated Press)

Tokio, Aug. 7.—The political machine which for ten years has dominated municipal government in Tokio was demolished by the reformers at the recent municipal elections. So serious was the reverse that the organization, which was known as the Tokiwakai, and which has been called "Tokio's Tammany," has been dissolved altogether.

The good government party regards the overthrow of the organization as a signal victory and indicative of the general reform movement which is sweeping over Japan in all branches of political life. For the last ten years they had fought to eliminate the Tokiwakai majority in the municipal assembly, but each successive attempt met with failure, until this year they have not only removed the objectionable majority, but also defeated its leader, S. Morikubo, in which they saw all of the party's corruption personified. The charges were similar to those which have characterized so many municipal upheavals in America—harmful patronage, corruption in the distribution of contracts for public works and general graft.

The success this year was due largely to the younger element which was organized into an anti-machine body. Public meetings were held and almost every means of political publicity utilized to arouse the voters of the urgency of good government. The election continued for three days, at the end of which the reformists had captured all but 21 of the 75 seats in the assembly. Morikubo, the ousted leader, thereupon invited his fellow victims to a meeting at which it was voted to dissolve the association.

The new organization now in power is known as the Municipal Government club. They are not content with reforming municipal politics alone, however, and have already begun a vigorous campaign to establish themselves in the National House of Representatives, where the Seiyukai, or Conservative party, will be the object of its attack. The Seiyukai has a large majority in the Diet and since it was linked with the now defeated Tokiwakai, it appears to be in danger of losing its power.

The present Okuma cabinet is backed by groups hostile to the Seiyukai. If unable to carry through his program in the fact of an opposing majority, Count Okuma would be likely to dissolve the Diet and give the people an opportunity to register their will at a new election.

An interesting phase of the suffrage question was seen in the recent municipal elections. The suffrage is very restricted, there being three classes of voters, classified according to the amount of tax they pay.

Taking the city as a whole, about one householder in 13 has a vote. Each grade of voters elects 25 assemblymen. The voters of the first grade number only 1,187. The second category has 6,136 electors. The great majority of voters, namely 49,948 out of the total of 57,271, are found in the third grade. To be qualified for this grade the citizen must pay land tax or else an imperial tax to the amount of two yen yearly.

The election of the assemblymen of the third grade was regarded as most closely expressing the popular will. In every street leading to the voting booth the candidates had established committee rooms where there was a good deal of smoking and talking. Formerly tea and refreshments were at the disposal of the thirsty or hungry voter, but today the government, following the ideas of the west, permits only moral suasion. The voter approached the outer office of the election hall, gave his name and address and was supplied with a ballot. Another official checked and stamped the ballot. The voter then passed upstairs to the voting room, where his ballot was again supervised. Finally he wrote the name of his candidate and handed over his ballot to the officials.

REMOVE ONE STORY FROM BIG BUILDING

MISS GEISENHEIMER WILL REDUCE SIZE OF BUILDING DURING ALTERATIONS.

W. J. McAlpin's workmen yesterday commenced removal of the third story from the A. L. Geisenheimer building, First street and Galena avenue, as it is Miss Geisenheimer's intention to cut the structure down to two stories, surmount it with a modern and handsome cornice, and install an up-to-date and creditable front.

AMERICAN RED CROSS TO SEN HOSPITAL SHIP

WILL CHARTER VESSEL TO CARRY MEDICAL SUPPLIES TO COUNTRIES INVOLVED.

Under protection of the neutrality treaties of Geneva and The Hague, the American National Red Cross society will send a fully equipped hospital ship to the harbors and coasts adjacent to the European theater of war. The ship, which will carry doctors, nurses and medical supplies, will sail under the Red Cross flag. Under the neutrality agreements it will be permitted to enter any of the ports of the belligerent countries in the discharge of its humane duties.

In an appeal sent out yesterday from the society's headquarters at Washington the public is reminded of the fact that during the war between the United States and Spain thousands of dollars were sent by the European Red Cross societies to aid in the care of sick and wounded soldiers.

Will Send Supplies.

"Now in the hour of their supreme need," reads the appeal, "the American Red Cross, both for the sake of humanity and to express our gratitude for their aid to us in time of trouble and distress, has decided to charter a ship and send supplies to each country involved."

A nation-wide appeal is made for contributions to this cause. If so desired the contributors may designate the country to which they wish their donation to go. Funds are needed to carry on this work. Contributions are being received by governors of states as presidents of the state associations, mayors of cities and the Red Cross chapters.

UNIVERSITY EXPERT ON CARE OF EGGS

PROFESSOR AT MADISON UNIVERSITY GIVES GOOD ADVICE.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 6.—This season of the year is regarded as the spoiled egg time by poultry producers and they are looking for a slump in trade as the result of disagreeable surprises which may come to them on the dining table. According to Professor J. G. Halpin, of the state university, the producer is the man who suffers the most because of lax methods of handling produce. The housewife, after finding two or three bad eggs in every dozen, will find some substitute for use during the hot weather.

While it is true that the marketing of eggs probably would be more satisfactory if handled through the creameries and cheese factories, nevertheless Prof. Halpin believes that with only a little more consistent attention to detail in managing poultry the average farm egg output will be of more value.

Egg an Egg.

The farm egg basket is often kept in a warm place and only taken to market at such irregular times as deemed convenient, and little or no care is given to protect the eggs from the hot sun while enroute. Then often in the grocery stores "an egg is an egg" and frequently all consignments are bulked together and passed on to the consumer ungraded and untested.

Again under loose methods broody hens are allowed to roost on the nests and at times eggs from stolen nests are mixed in with the others. The temperature in the poultry house together with poor ventilation tends to start rotting and affect the flavor of the eggs. Careless packing of ten results in cracked eggs which decay and render the keeping qualities of eggs placed in close contact with them.

DEATH OF MRS. SAM WILSON

Mrs. Samuel Wilson died at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home, 214 Madison avenue. Death came following an illness beginning last evening and came as a sudden shock to the family and friends.

ANOTHER SIDE OF PETRAS' NEMESIS

An Aurora paper insists on making a cheap hero out of Homer Eddy. The eleven men who labored with him 41 hours to keep the oath he took before his God, believe Eddy is an ignorant bullhead, and refer to the fact that he spelled the word "guilty" twenty-four times, and insisted in so doing after eleven men had told him it was wrong.—Geneva Republican.

BRITAIN TELLS WHAT COMMERCE WILL BE SEIZED

MILITARY SUPPLIES 'ABSOLUTE,' FOOD, GRAIN, MONEY 'CONDITIONAL' CONTRABAND.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—Great Britain's contraband of war proclamation was cabled to the state department today by Ambassador Page. It placed arms, ammunition and all distinctly military supplies on the list of "absolute" contraband, and designated food, grain, money horses and general supplies as "conditional" contraband.

Everything under the latter head becomes subject to seizure and to the contraband laws when intended for the use of a power with which Great Britain is at war.

Articles Which Are Contraband.

The proclamation follows the usual lines, and those issued by other powers involved in war probably will be virtually identical. It names the following as absolute contraband:

1. Arms of all kinds, including arms for sporting purposes and their distinctive component parts.
2. Projectiles, charges and cartridges of all kinds and their distinctive component parts.
3. Powder and explosives specially prepared for use in war.
4. Gun mountings, limber boxes, limbers, military wagons, field forges, and their distinctive component parts.
5. Clothing and equipment of a distinctive military character.
6. All kinds of harness of a distinctive military character.
7. Saddle, pack and draft animals suitable for use in war.
8. Articles of camp equipment and their distinctive component parts.
9. Armor plates.
10. Warships, including boats and their distinctive component parts of such a nature that they can only be used on a vessel of war.
11. Aeroplanes, airships, balloons, and air craft of all kinds and their component parts, together with accessories and articles recognizable for use in connection with balloons and aircraft.
12. Implements and apparatus designed exclusively for the manufacture of munitions of war, for the manufacture or repair of arms, or war material for use on land and sea.

Those Conditionally Contraband.

The following will be treated as conditionally contraband of war:

1. Foodstuffs.
2. Forage and grain suitable for feeding animals.
3. Clothing, fabrics for clothing, and boots and shoes suitable for use in war.
4. Gold and silver in coin or bullion, paper money.
5. Vehicles of all kinds available for use in war, and their component parts.
6. Vessels, craft and boats of all kinds, floating docks, parts of docks and their component parts.
7. Railway material, both fixed and rolling stock, and materials for telegraphs, wireless telegraphs and telephones.
8. Fuel, lubricants.
9. Powder and explosives not specially prepared for use in war.
10. Barbed wire and implements for fixing and cutting the same.
11. Horseshoes and shoeing materials.
12. Harness and saddlery.
13. Field glasses, telescopes, chronometers, and all kinds of nautical instruments.

SMALL FIRE TODAY.

At 1:30 this afternoon the fire department received a call from 811 College avenue, the home of Mrs. H. Bott, where a small space near a flue on the first floor had become ignited.

FRANKLIN GROVE GIRLS IN WAR RIDDEN COUNTRY

The many friends of Miss Beryl Skinner, high school teacher in Franklin Grove High school, and Miss Mildred Johnson, daughter of Robert Johnson, also of Franklin Grove, are much concerned for their safety, for the two young ladies are visiting on the Continent and are supposed to be either in Germany or France at the present time.

DR. CHANDLER WIRES HOME.

Mrs. A. W. Chandler of this city received a wire this morning from her husband, Dr. A. W. Chandler, from Halifax, Nova Scotia, saying that he arrived yesterday on the Mauritania and was being detained at Halifax, but that he expected to be able to leave today for the United States.

WILL VISIT SON.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Reed will leave tomorrow evening for Kearney, Neb., to visit with their son Edward for a few weeks.

MRS. WOODROW WILSON IS DEAD

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when the president was absent from the sick room for a few minutes, Mrs. Wilson sent for Dr. Cary T. Grayson and said to him:

Her Last Words.

"Doctor, if I go away, promise me you will take good care of my husband."

It was her last speech of many words. In a few minutes she sank into a stupor and during the afternoon rallied only enough strength to speak in monosyllables.

The announcement of her death was made at the executive offices by Secretary Tamm at 5:15 o'clock when said:

"Mrs. Wilson died at 5 o'clock."

Mrs. Wilson Born in South.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson—Miss Ellen Axson before her marriage—was born in Savannah, Ga. She was a daughter of the Rev. Edward and Margaret J. Axson. She was educated in private schools in Georgia and in the Art Students' league, New York city.

Mrs. Wilson spent the great part of her early life in Rome, Ga. When her parents died she went to live with an aunt at Gainesville, Ga. Her marriage to the man who subsequently led her into the White House was celebrated quietly in the family home in Savannah June 24, 1885. Mr. Wilson's father, a minister, and Mrs. Wilson's grandfather, also a minister, solemnized the marriage.

Interested in Charitable Work.

Mrs. Wilson was greatly interested in religious and philanthropic work. This trait of the president's wife found itself also in the Wilson daughters. The president's wife affiliated herself with many philanthropic organizations, both state and local, and was an active worker for such associations. Mrs. Wilson was identified with the Presbyterian church. She was a member of the New Jersey Society of Colonial Dames of America and the Artists' Guild of Philadelphia.

Painting Was Her Recreation.

Mrs. Wilson's recreation consisted chiefly of landscape painting. As "first lady of the land" Mrs. Wilson won the esteem of those with whom she came in contact in the course of official functions in Washington.

Donald M. Philbin Is Dead.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 7.—Donald M. Philbin, long identified with the Great Northern railway and before that prominent in the affairs of lesser railroad systems, is dead here. He was credited with being one of the foremost experts on iron ore transportation.

Bangs Freed of Conspiracy Charge.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 7.—Tracy R. Bangs, former United States district attorney for North Dakota, was exonerated by a grand jury of charges of bribery in connection with the acquittal two years ago of McLain Cooper, who had been tried for murder.

LADIES TO PLAY AT ASSEMBLY TONIGHT

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munity, the development of natural beauties, the securing of the utmost healthfulness and the best means of communication with surrounding district. 2. The number of houses per acre must be strictly limited so as to secure ample light, air and garden to each, and provide recreation grounds and open public spaces. 3. The town proper must be permanently surrounded by a belt of agricultural or park land so as to always remain separated from the surrounding developments of a different character. 4. The return of the original capital invested must be limited to a reasonably small percentage and all surplus income must be used for the benefit of the community. 5. The town must not be merely residential, but also commercial and industrial as well and provision made for bringing the factories from the congested industrial centers to where the employer and employee may have cheap and spacious grounds. There are three distinct types of the garden city as follows: The Garden City, the Garden Village and the Gardensuburb.

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

**I KNOW NOT JUST HOW TRUE
THIS MAY BE.
BUT I TELL IT TO YOU AS IT
WAS TOLD TO ME.**

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Friday.

Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S.—Masonic hall.

Surprised Rev. Divan.

Yesterday Rev. John Divan received one of the most complete and pleasant surprises ever experienced when he was greeted by eight auto loads of old friends, 40 in number, from Chadwick, Ill. The Rev. Divan having been pastor in one of the churches there for a number of years.

After greeting their former pastor, the merry crowd divulged the secret that many and heavy were the baskets that were hidden in their cars and invited the pastor and his family to come with them and they would prove the fact. The entire company then motored to Lowell park and there beneath nature's own canopy one of the most delicious chicken dinners ever prepared was consumed by the hungry crowd.

When interviewed this morning Rev. Divan smilingly remarked that it was a very pleasant affair and a very complete surprise to him and his family.

At Kling Home.

Rev. Rutherford, former pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church of this city, now of Philadelphia, Pa., is here to attend the Assembly and to visit with old friends. At present he is the guest at the home of E. L. Kling and family.

Returned Home.

Murray and William Nixon returned Wednesday evening from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Streator. They were accompanied home by their cousin, Kenneth Nixon, who will be their guest for a time.

Motored Here.

Mrs. Herman Balster and two daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stern of Sterling motored to this city yesterday and spent the day at the Assembly.

At Assembly.

Mrs. Arthur Landis, Miss Hazel Green, Misses Verna and Martha Landis of Sterling and Miss Leona Green of Morrison motored here yesterday in the former's car and spent a very pleasant day at the Assembly.

Visiting Here.

Mrs. Isaac Bontz of Center, Mo., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Weaver, on the Franklin road.

Entertained.

Mrs. K. J. Reed entertained yesterday for Mrs. M. S. Dunlap, Miss Daisy Schell of Polo and their guest, Miss Eleanor Walker of Springfield, Mass.

Returned from Michigan.

Mrs. R. U. Bardwell and daughter, Clara Gwendolen, and son William, have returned from the Michigan summer resort of Macatawa.

Bus and Transfer Line.

Bus and automobiles meet all trains for hotel and city passengers. Watts Bros., Props. Phone 900.

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lotte can help
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Will Leave for Home.
Mr. Paul Halpin, who has been visiting his aunt, Miss Ella McGrath, for the past two weeks, will return to Denver, Colo., this evening.

At Dinner.

Mrs. Frank Rink entertained 14 guests at dinner on Thursday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bodwell of St. Louis and the Wm. Rink family.

Visiting Here.

Miss Esther Powers of Racine, Wis., is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Davlin, of Ottawa avenue.

At Giltenane Home.

Miss Mary Giltenane of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Giltenane of this city.

Here from Chicago.

Mrs. Bessie Tabor, who is here visiting from Texas, is ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. D. Pitcher.

At Assembly.

Mrs. F. W. Hammer and Mrs. O. G. Strook and son of Polo attended the Assembly and visited with friends yesterday.

Visiting Here.

Miss Frances Tobias of Streator, Ill., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tyrrell of this city. Later she will visit at the S. F. Senneff home in the country.

Motored from Wisconsin.

Mr. Elsworth Harris and sister, Miss Pearl, and Mrs. C. H. Dancy of Mineral Point, Wis., motored to this city yesterday to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wasley on Crawford avenue.

AMERICAN FACES DANGER OF BEING DRAWN INTO WAR

ONLY GREAT POWER OF WHITE
RACE NOT INVOLVED—AW-
FUL POSSIBILITIES.

TRADE IS CHIEF PROBLEM

Handling of Foodstuffs and Registry of Foreign Ships May Bring Complications.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—The United States today is the only first class power of the white race in the world which is not engaged in war. Naturally this country is congratulating itself on this fact. But few Americans realize, however, that their country is on the precipice and may be forced over into the world-wide conflict at any moment.

There are many possibilities of international friction to which this country is exposed as a result of the European struggle.

Greatest of all is the danger which will be run in the carrying of contraband after a merchant marine is obtained. Danger also lurks in the proposed amendment to the registry laws.

America Must Police Asia.

Almost equally great is the danger in the Orient, where the United States must police Asia against the aggressions of the Japanese.

The Panama canal may force the United States into international disputes if the warships of two or more of the warring nations meet near it and those of one attempt to escape from the other through the canal.

Possibly the greatest danger will follow after the war closes. If one power emerges triumphant over the others in such a degree that it will be looked upon as the world's foremost fighting nation, undoubtedly it will turn its attention to South America. The Monroe doctrine is facing its severest test.

Foodstuffs—Contraband or Not?
The United States regards the declaration of London as authoritative in so far as its, the United States, view of the questions of neutrality are concerned. England does not recognize in any way the declaration of London as binding.

Italy, a neutral nation, might, therefore, with propriety consider foodstuffs as not contraband. She would then become the haven for the United States trade in wheat and other foodstuffs.

Then if England stopped this trade—that is, between the United States and Italy—she, in a way, would be interfering with the trade between two neutral nations, one of which would be the United States. This almost surely would cause friction between the governments concerned.

Try a box of Healo. It costs but 25 cents. No toilet is really complete without it.

Sterling & Sterling, druggists, yesterday received a large consignment of the well known foot powder.

ROMANTIC, FOOLISH MOMENTS.

A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men.

No matter how staid and sedate a man may be, he wouldn't be human if he didn't have a foolish, romantic streak somewhere in his heart. He inherited it from his parents, who looked and loved, else he would not have been here to make reality of his own day dreams.

The stern man may say all that he likes about the frivolity of women; that the woman is not yet born who could cause him one extravagant heart throb. With much bravado, he assures you that he is perfectly satisfied with his life. But when the spring comes on he begins to feel kind of lonely. Not but that there are plenty of women turning toward him with beguiling smiles, yet the time is not ripe for his heart to respond.

As the weather grows warmer and the long, sweet clover-scented evenings begin to work their influence, his icy nature undergoes a change. The woman whom he frowned at in her furs and costly wraps he now looks at from out of the side of his eyes. He thinks how much better she looks in her plain, inexpensive summer garb, and he would not be averse to an introduction.

He is agreeably surprised to see her on the porch of a hotel where he has gone to spend his two weeks' vacation. They come to know each other through mutual friends. He finds her bright, vivacious, jolly good company to pass the morning with on the piazza or strolling with a merry party. She is quite a different person, however, when they are out alone together for a moonlight walk.

Even a very plain woman looks her best under the silvery moon and gleam of the shining stars. Her voice drops to a musical, more tender key. The very touch of her finger, clinging lightly to his arm, is like a caress. Her presence is magnetic. The glance of her bright eyes is alluring. What wonder that the man strolling by her side forgets the vows he has made a hundred times to live and die a bachelor.

He succumbs to the witchery of the time, the place and the girl, and in a romantic moment professes her his heart and hand. No wonder it has been said that moonlight works madness in his brain. Most men can keep firm control over their hearts though the sun shines ever so brightly. Yet nine times out of ten, they have been known to yearn for love and to be loved, under the influence of the lover's moon. But what difference is it as to how it happened so long as they follow nature's plan and marry at last. Every man's heart is to be won, but it takes the right woman to touch the tender chord. Even she must wait until the psychological moment, that foolish, delicious moment when love overflows his heart.

Pancakes Furnish Complete Diet.

Considered from a physiological point of view, the custom of eating pancakes is commendable, says the Lancet. It is a satisfactory fact that they have become popular sweets at other seasons than carnival time, for they are nourishing and digestible food.

A review of the ingredients which provide the formula shows at once that the pancake is a singularly complete diet, containing, that is to say, all classes of food materials. It is rich alike in proteins, carbohydrates, fats and mineral substances, all in an acceptably assimilable form. It is doubtful whether there is a single manufactured or patent food upon the market which can claim such a valuable range of dietetic properties. Apart, moreover, from its dietetic value the pancake possesses an important pharmacology, inasmuch as it is rich in lecithin, which is now known to have a special significance in the processes of nutrition and metabolism.

Valuable Dog.

A commuter, who had evidently been imbibing rather freely, boarded the smoker of a Reading Germantown branch train last Saturday evening, according to the Philadelphia Inquirer. Attached to a long chain he had a collie dog. As he had no ticket he handed the conductor a dollar note and was returned a handful of small change. Studying the coins a moment, he couldn't figure out why he had not received more, so calling the man with the blue suit and brass buttons, he asked for an explanation. The conductor told him that ten cents was the price of the excess ticket, ten cents for his fare and 15 cents for carrying the dog. "Humph," he said, "you only charge me ten cents and charge 15 for the dog; he can find his way home, um, but I can't."

Wisdom of Solomon.

The reason Solomon is called the wisest man is because he never tried to tell each of his wives that she was the only woman he ever loved.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Placing the Blame.

Visitor—"How does the land lie out this way?" Native—"It ain't the land—it's the land agents."—Philadelphia Record.

Real Value of Riches.

Of great riches there is no real use except it be in the distribution.—Bacon.

Use Moderation.

Few people do business well who do nothing else.—Chesterfield.

William Bardwell, phone 303, is agent for the Saturday Evening Post and will deliver a copy of it at your door upon request.

BIG NAVAL BATTLE IN PROGRESS

British and German Ships Fighting.

ENGLAND WAITS NEWS

German Force Annihilated at Battle at Liege.

ITALY ISSUES A STATEMENT

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Italy Issues Statement.
London, Aug. 7.—The Italian ambassador has asked that publicity be given to the following statement: "Italy's neutrality was not merely a matter of self-interest, but was strictly in accord with the letter and spirit of her obligations under the terms of the triple alliance. However unpopular a war on the side of Germany and Austria might have been for Italy, she would have undertaken such a war rather than break her pledged word."

The ambassador then refers to the blue book containing the evidence of all diplomatic negotiations, to prove that Italy had made many earnest efforts to maintain peace, in which effort she was in complete sympathy with Great Britain. He concludes by saying that it was not within Italy's power to avert a rupture.

Two Ships Sink in Duel.

London, Aug. 7.—A dispatch to the London Daily Mail from Tien Tsin says that the Russian cruiser Askold and the German cruiser Enden both have been sunk after an engagement off Weihaiwei, China.

German's Dirigible Blown Up.
Brussels, Aug. 7.—Germany lost one of her biggest Zeppelin dirigibles. It was attempting to pass over the fortifications on the Herve plateau when the Belgian gunners got the range with a gun especially designed for air craft. An explosive shell crashed through the envelope and the gas bag exploded, the dirigible falling a crumpled mass, her entire crew, believed to number twenty-six men, being killed. The wreckage landed on the Herve plateau, just a little way from the fort.

Almost immediately after the Zeppelin was wrecked an aeroplane rose from the German position and attempted a flight over the Herve fortifications in the direction of the main fortress at Liege. It also was wrecked by the aero gun from the Herve fort. This last demonstration of the accuracy of the Belgian fire discouraged the Germans and their aeroplanes for the rest of the day contented themselves with flights above the German lines.

Holland, Aug. 7.—Paris hears that Holland has declared war on Germany.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 7.—Austria-Hungary has declared war on Russia.

German Ships Not Captured.

Rome, Aug. 7.—The Tribune publishes a dispatch from its Messina correspondent which says the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, which have been reported captured by French warships, are anchored outside the harbor of Messina. One of the German officers said the Breslau bombarded Bona, on the Algerian coast and the Goeben bombarded Philippeville for an hour and almost destroyed the town.

A British squadron chased the warships on their way to Messina.

Second Army Invades Belgium.

Brussels, Aug. 7.—A second German army, reported to be commanded by the crown prince, invaded Belgium from Luxembourg and marched upon Ayvalde, south of Liege.

Germans Bombard Russ Ports.

Copenhagen, Aug. 7.—A German battle squadron is bombarding Sveaborg, "the Gibraltar of the Baltic," a Finland port commanding the entrance to the Bay of Helsingfors and the Finnish capital, whence a railroad runs to St. Petersburg.

NAVAL PRIZES UP TO DATE

BY GREAT BRITAIN.

Prince Adelbert (liner) ... Captured
Else (schooner) ... Captured
German Trawler ... Captured
German Levant Liner ... Captured
Koenig Luise ... Sunk
German Cruiser ... Sunk
German Cruiser ... Captured
Perkeo (German bark) ... Captured
Belgia (German steamer) ... Captured
29 other German ships
names unknown ... Captured

By Russia.

German Cruiser ... Sunk

Ten German steamers ... Captured

By Germany.

Amphion ... Sunk

Russian Cruiser ... Sunk

By France.

German Steamer ... Captured

By Belgium.

Four German steamers ... Captured

Not a German in Liege.

Brussels, Aug. 7.—Later accounts of the fighting at Liege say that the Germans attacked Fort Barachon, northeast of the city. Under cover of artillery fire the invaders crept up toward the fort. The Belgians reserved their fire until the enemy was at close quarters and about to make a dash for the fort. Then a perfect hail of lead was poured into the German infantry decimating whole regiments.

Meanwhile Fort Chaudfontaine was bombarded by the enemy, some of whom took refuge in a nearby chateau. The chateau was reduced to ruins by the Belgian guns.

The enemy then retired all along the line. There is not a German in Liege at this time.

Liege, Belgium, Aug. 7.—German Uhlans in force were annihilated in a brilliant night sally. This second reverse has demoralized the German troops. In another day the advanced French columns will have effected a junction here and a decisive battle will follow. Wednesday's fighting was ferocious, Uhlans penetrating to the center of the city in one gallant charge. German shells set fire to many houses in the suburbs of Brussels.

AL JENNINGS IS DEFEATED

Senator Gore Wins Renomination in Oklahoma by Two to One.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 7.—Returns from the state-wide primary showed Senator Thomas P. Gore is renominated over Samuel W. Hayes by a majority of two to one.

Al Jennings, with his "beating-back" plea, did not win the nomination for governor. The ex-banister ran third in the race. R. L. Williams leads on the face of one-fourth of the returns, with J. B. Robertson a close second.

Bristow Is Beaten.

Topelka, Kas., Aug. 7.—With returns in from a majority of the counties in Kansas, little doubt remains here that former Senator Curtis has defeated Senator Bristow in the race for the Republican senatorial nomination.

Rock River Assembly Program

Tonight.

8:00 p. m.—(A) Grand Concert. The Pittsburgh Ladies' Orchestra.

9:30 p. m.—(A) Moving Pictures.

Tomorrow.

8:00 a. m.—Boys' Club, Boys' Club Tent, Sec. E. T. Bailey, Director.

Physical Culture Tent, Miss Hill.

8:30 a. m.—(C) Devotional Service.

9:00 a. m.—(C) Assembly Bible Hour, "Paul's Glorious Life and Triumphant Death," Rev. Conrad Huber, D. D.

Has to Stretch It.

When a man with a feeble reputation tries to extend it from the Atlantic to the Pacific, it grows awfully thin in spots.

Special Clearance of Summer Dresses

Commencing Thursday Morning, Aug. 6

We will place on sale all our summer Dresses in introducing many handsome garments in white and colored wash materials, crepes, voiles, ratine, challies, poplin, messalian, etc., madeup in Russian tunic, peplum and semi-tunic effects.

We have divided these dresses into 2 lots and will close them out at special prices.

Lot 1 includes many pretty creations in Chiffon, Silk, Crepe, Ratine, etc. Values from \$10 to \$19.50. Clearance Price - - - **\$4.98**

Lot 2 includes many stylish dresses in white and colors. Values from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Clearance Price - - - **\$3.98**

SUITS AT \$5.00

Just a few suits left in very pretty tan, grey, brown, etc. Values up to \$35.00. Clearance Price - - - **\$5.00**

Space will not permit us to describe these garments in detail. A visit to our ready-to-wear department will convince you that we mean to close out these garments regardless of cost.

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THE FLAG TO THE SEA.

Says the Chicago Tribune:

Now is the time to put the American flag back on the seas. It was
driven off in our great war. It may come back in Europe's great war. Con-
gress is prompt in considering legislation which may invite foreign vessels
into American register, with such conditions as will prevent it from being
used as subterfuge for war time purposes. Furthermore, it has been sug-
gested that if the war, contrary to present calculations, covers any consid-
erable period there will be offered for sale numerous fine ships of the var-
ious telerigents' merchant marine now detained in our ports for fear of
capture.

"Great Britain will be able to offer her merchants a considerable de-
gree of protection. In combination with France she may keep trade routes
open even if, from time to time, a commerce destroyer cuts out unconvoyed
vessels. There will be, however, the war risk, and it is a certainty the Brit-
ish and French merchants will do no carrying for neutral ports.

"German carriers already encounter such risks that they have remain-
ed in neutral ports. Such as sailed before war was declared are hastening
into the nearest safe port. For the time at least Germany is off the ocean ex-
cept for its war marine. The greatest markets of the world are closed to the
greatest carriers of the world.

"This is the American opportunity to re-establish its merchant marine,
not by the futile, faulty methods of subsidy, but by meeting an opportunity.
The American register invites the carriers. Make it possible by reasonable
conditions for them to take the American flag and raise it. Make it possi-
ble for American money to take over foreign built ships and make them
American ships.

"Vessels cannot be built to meet this emergency, but they can be bought
and they can be accepted as seekers of place in the American marine. It's
our great opportunity. The grains of America will be needed in the markets
of Europe and the vessels to carry them are not numerous.

"Soon the nations will declare what is contraband and what is not.
When the declarations have been made our exporters will know precisely
whether and what they may and may not with safety ship. They will need
ships, and ships are to be had if the American restrictions as to registry be
liberalized. It's our opportunity to put the flag back on the sea and keep
it there. What we lost in war we may gain in war."

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the First Lady of the Land, is dead. Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, has been dead a blow from which he can never fully recover. The people of the United States open their hearts to their President and his daughters in their misery. The nation mourns the death of that lovely woman who has for the past two years graced the White House with her sweet presence. All America was hushed with sorrow when the news flashed over the wire throughout the nation last evening telling of the death of the President's wife.

What a brave, unselfish woman Mrs. Wilson was. She has hidden her suffering from all the world. The public had no inkling that she was ill with a fatal malady until a day or two before her death, although the malady has been with her for many months.

What a man her husband is and what a mighty lot of suffering he had gone through. His administration of the affairs of the United States will not be a particularly happy one for him. He has had little else but strife and worry since he was inaugurated and he has borne up under a heavy strain.

Mrs. Wilson was a woman of beautiful character and was as well loved in the slums of Washington, where she did worlds of good, as in the ranks of society in the gay capital.

The hot days, national championship baseball, and trouble at home has cut the daily attendance in the House of Representatives down to a point where there is a struggle every day to secure a quorum for the transaction of the people's business. Two-thirds of the absentees are democrats, most of them are back home prepping for the fierce fight which they know they will have to face this fall.

There are 435 members of the House of Representatives. It takes 218 to make a quorum. Republican members have been standing loyally to their official duties. If it were not for that fact, it would have been impossible to transact the people's business in the lower House of Congress. The Democrats have furnished four-fifths of the chronic and continued absentees.

The Bull Moose leaders of Lee county believe they will carry this county by 500 majority in this fall election. At any rate they say they believe it. They say they don't expect as heavy a progressive vote in Lee county as they had two years ago. Two years ago the best they could do in this county with the county ticket was to elect a coroner and if he hadn't been a mighty good fellow they wouldn't have done that. How can they figure that they will elect anybody this year with a smaller vote? They admit it will be smaller, but they don't realize HOW MUCH SMALLER it will be.

The Bull Moose leaders, or mis-leaders, as you wish it, are preparing their flock for the shock of the approaching primary elections. They tell them that of course there will be many Bull Moosers who will go into the Republican primaries to help elect some friend running on the Republican ticket and they declare that the mean, mean, Republicans when they were passing their petitions around shoved them under the noses of the innocent and helpless Bull Moosers and made them sign them and never even told them what they were signing or the awful penalties that were connected with said signature.

"I thought your minister was going to change to Minneapolis."

"He did intend to, but he went up there to preach a trial sermon, and chose his text from St. Paul, and it was all off."

"I see they are going to build an electric line from Jerusalem to Bethlehem."

"When do they expect to turn on the Jews?"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The fact that the three anti-trust bills were drafted by congressmen from small towns may be due to the cities usually electing congressmen who cannot draft anything except appropriation bills.

San Antonio Express: According to the walls for wet that are puncturing the ozone in some parts of the country, if Noah can influence another downpour he will be forgiven his recently proved complicity with man's first disobedience.

Brooklyn Standard-Union: The interstate commerce commission has been using a probe on the New Haven road, and the next thing might well be a vacuum cleaner.

Chicago Examiner: It is penny wise and pound foolish to deny the congressmen their 20-cent mileage. As soon as they get it they're sure to adjourn in order to use it.

Quincy Whig: Beef and diamonds are going up. But automobiles are coming down. For some people life will continue to be one joy ride after another.

Rockford Republic: Current speeches knocking officials for junketing could almost be duplicated from old congressional records. The old ones were made by Democrats.

Joliet News: Town and community are not made prosperous by the money that is sent away, but by money that is spent at home. The best possible way, in fact the only practicable way to make this community more prosperous is to make it more populous; we must have more people right here to consume what we produce and sell. So far as the wealth and prosperity of the community are concerned, they will be promoted as directly by the purchase and consumption of what is sold as by the consumption of what is produced here.

Dwight Star and Herald: Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman seems to have no opposition for renomination for United States senator. Senator Sherman has been heard from in Washington on every important question, and he is on the right side and believe us, he makes things hum when he goes after the democratic legislation.

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Town Dogs

BY WALT MASON

This is the season when town pups, which have no private drinking cups, too often must go dry; there are no fountains to produce three fingers of refreshing juice for bow-wows trotting by. Along the blazing thoroughfare they seek in vain, in their despair, for something they can drink; their blood gets heated and their jaws are dripping foam — with ample cause — and their eyes turn red or pink. When some one sees a thirsty brute, he "Mad dog!" cries, the peepers shoot, the mob arrives with bricks; they chase poor Carlo through the town, and when at last they've run him down, they knock him out with sticks. Not one in fifty dogs thus slain is mad or bughouse or insane, they're merely in distress; if dogs could always have a drink, the "rabies" fake would die, I think; there'd be one scare the less. So let us station in the shade large tubs of whole-some lemonade for dogs who are athirst, and they will bless us, day by day, in their own rfiendly, doggish way, till they are wien-erwurst.



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CURRENT COMMENT

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"I thought your minister was going to change to Minneapolis."

"He did intend to, but he went up there to preach a trial sermon, and chose his text from St. Paul, and it was all off."

"I see they are going to build an electric line from Jerusalem to Bethlehem."

"When do they expect to turn on the Jews?"

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- 100 Dresses, values from \$6.50 to \$10.00, your choice - \$5.00
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Former selling price up to \$15.00
- 25 Wash Dresses - \$1.97
Former selling price up to \$2.50
- 25 Dresses, priced at - \$3.97
Former selling price up to \$10.00
- 25 Misses' and Children's
Coats, splendid assortment \$2.98
Former selling price up to \$7.50
- 50 Children's Dresses, at - 58c
SPLENDID VALUES
- 100 Skirts, at \$1.98 and \$3.98
- 25 Infants' and Small
Children's Dresses, 39c, 59c
Former selling price up to 89c
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LATEST MODELS
- 300 pieces of Ladies' and Misses' Muslin Underwear, consisting of Gowns
Skirts, Princess Slips: Combination Suits. etc., priced at - 98c

A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO., Dixon, Illinois

Claude Mangan of Sterling was here last evening calling on friends. Mr. and Mrs. Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Amboy attended the Assembly here yesterday.

James Pryde of Oglesby, Ill., is in Dixon today calling on friends.

Mrs. Dr. Powell, Mrs. Miller and daughter of Polo were shoppers here today.

GOLD FOUND IN MINING CAMP

Prescott, Ariz., Aug. 7.—From Ehrenberg has come a tale of three mysterious Spanish strangers who came by automobile from California, for a few days dug around in the ruins of the deserted camp of LaPaz and who left with \$60,000 found under the floor of a saloon of the olden days conducted by a Portuguese, Francisco Rabana.

Of the diggers, there seems no doubt, however much attaches to the rumor of treasure found. There have been many such explorations in the past of the ruins of the old camp, at which millions of dollars were handed 60 years ago.

Even some of the tombs have been desecrated by searchers for hidden gold

Mr. Bailey requests all boys who will and are taking part in his athletic work to meet with him at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning sharp, at headquarters for work. The boys are requested by Mr. Bailey to meet at the Y. M. C. A. also on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, at which time Mr. Bailey will treat the boys. Get busy, boys. Be on the job Saturday morning and have a good time!

Last evening a most enjoyable party of a surprise nature was held on Mr. Percival Reid of Kansas City by his friends on the grounds. The jolly bunch, after having heartily partaken of eats, moved to the river, where a good, old-fashioned canoe ride was indulged in.

Mrs. Paul Harms of Prairieville was a guest of the Brierton tent yesterday.

Mr. Heisey and nephew, Rev. Paul Heisey, are anticipating a trip to Chicago.

Russel Weed of Lanark was a visitor at the Assembly yesterday.

Albert Mertz of Lanark was a caller at the Lanark tent and will stay for a few days.

Mrs. Charles Parks of Woosung and Miss Mabel Scholl of Polo were guests at the Sennet-Miller tent yesterday.

J. H. Kersten and family of Ashton are tenting at the Assembly are

Dramatic Poies

AT THE FAMILY.

The bill at the Family theatre is a true variety program and one of exceptional merit and class from every standpoint. Wm. Lawrence is billed as "Entertainer De Luxe." His ability was fully demonstrated last evening, he having to respond to four encores. He is a finished artist with a world of magnetism discernible as soon as he introduces himself.

The Cleora Miller Trio of two ladies and a gentleman who have a musical and singing offering which is the last word in variety of this kind come highly recommended and live up in the fullest sense to their recommendation.

Pictures tonight: The Female Cop and the Show Girl's Glove, in two reels, featuring Alice Joyce. This is the second part of a series featuring Miss Joyce.

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight the Princess will show a two reel feature entitled "Desert Thieves," a frontier drama. David Graham, prospector, learns from an Indian girl, Owanoone, the secret of a lost mine, Graham easily wheedled the ore away from her and went to his claim and forgot her. One day a woman came to his cabin with a pitiful story of her husband dying of thirst in the desert and after making her promise to let him do with her as he likes he goes with her. But Graham did not realize he had been duped until he received the blow that knocked him senseless. When he came to a terrific sandstorm was raging in the desert and lashed by the frenzy of the storm something was dashed against him and he clutched the shoulders of the woman who betrayed him.

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You cannot afford to risk a total loss of your machine when

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Will protect you THREE years for the small membership and policy fee of \$7.00, and nothing more until a loss occurs. "A home company under local management." Organized under the laws of Illinois.

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For Our August

CLEARING SALE.

Starts August 15.

Just The Thing for Change of Diet. Corned Beef and Cabbage is fine. Beef is from Prime Steers, only 10c lb. Cabbage Fresh from the field.

Grover Soft SHOES

For Tender Feet

Strictly fresh eggs Saturday (10 doz. limit) . . . 20c

Qt. jar sour and sweet pickles Saturday . . . 15c

3 double sheets Tanglefoot fly paper . . . 5c

25c Petoskey Chief fine-cut tobacco . . . 19c

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Wheat higher, yet we say same price on Zephyr flour, best flour made . . . \$1.50

Frrington's Coffee IS Great. Order Now.

New Quaker Corn Puffs for breakfast . . . 15c

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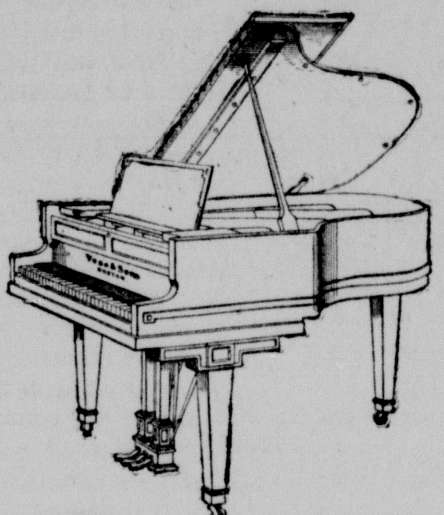
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VOSE GRAND PIANO

The Vose Grand being used at the Rock River Assembly will be sold at a great reduction in price.

Anyone who is seeking an instrument of the very highest class and at the same time wishing to make a considerable saving should call at our store and investigate this proposition.

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Terms to suit purchaser.

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LADIES TO PLAY AT

ASSEMBLY THIS EVE.

PITTSBURG LADIES' ORCHESTRA

GIVES FULL CONCERT IN

THE AUDITORIUM.

SATURDAY TO BE BIG DAY

Royal Austrian Orchestra Will Play

Full Concert Saturday Afternoon

—Children Entertain Satur-

day Evening.

Today was in reality Farmers' day at the Rock River Assembly. Lee county farmers were here in large numbers. Nearly every county in northern Illinois was represented to-day. A large delegation was here from Kewanee.

At 12 o'clock several thousand farmers and their families were on the grounds and the park was filled with luncheon parties.

All forenoon groups of farmers were scattered all through the parks and every topic of the day was discussed. With the landlord came the tenant, and owner and renter took in the program, well satisfied that the day they took off from farm duties was well spent.

Many hundreds will remain over for this evening's program, having arranged with the hired help to take care of the farm duties at home. This was one of the days the farmer was not burdened with home cares, for the cow and the horse were far from his mind. He came to the Assembly in his auto, and he enjoyed his brief vacation. He came to learn of alfalfa and at the end of the day's program he had no cause to regret his coming, for he was given all the information; valuable information concerning alfalfa, that he cared for at one time.

Farmers' Day was a big success and the Assembly management does

not regret one bit that a day was set aside for the farmer.

At 8 o'clock this evening the Pittsburg Ladies' orchestra will play a full concert. The concert work of the company is excellent, and the solo work is exceptionally fine. Thursday afternoon several thousand people were highly entertained with a splendid program by this musical company, and no doubt the audience this evening will be considerably larger.

The company is composed of a lot of cultured and refined ladies. Their dress is modest and becoming, their conduct above criticism, their musical ability artistic.

They quickly won their way into the hearts of the audience Thursday afternoon. The programs they give are splendidly designed, to give quality and variety.

The program of moving pictures for this evening will be exceptionally good, and the people are beginning to remain and enjoy this part of the program. The pictures are of such a quality that people appreciate them.

Saturday will be a big day. The program is a most excellent one. Dr. Huber will discuss the subject, "Pauls Glorious Life and Triumphant Death," at 9 o'clock. Dr. Huber is getting larger audiences each day, and he is giving his auditors some excellent talks. If you have not heard Dr. Huber, take advantage of tomorrow and come and hear a splendid lecture.

Dr. Hoover, president of Carthage college, is another speaker who is having large and appreciative audiences. Each morning at 10 o'clock in Chautauqua hall Dr. Hoover discusses Religious Psychology. The speaker handles the subject in a manner that everyone can understand, and get information which will stay with them for some time. Dr. Hoover is one of the most intellectual men in the Lutheran church today, and he is doing a great work at Carthage college.

Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the Royal Austrian orchestra will play a full concert. This company will also play a sacred concert Sunday evening.

Wingert at Round Table.

Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock Attorney E. E. Wingert of this city will address the Round Table meeting on the subject, "Tennyson's In Memoriam." Mr. Wingert is well known to the Assembly patrons, for he has been one of the favorite Round Table speakers for the past years. Mr. Wingert will have a large audience to hear him Saturday afternoon.

Just one more word about the entertainment for Saturday evening. Dixon boys and girls will participate in this program of entertainment and it is needless to say that the fathers and mothers of Dixon will flock to the Assembly park in large numbers. It goes without saying that exercises will be of a high standard. Show the children that you appreciate their work by attending their entertainment.

Sunday will be the last day of this session of the Rock River Assembly and if the weather is good the day will be a big one, and will equal in attendance the other two Sundays.

The speaker for Sunday, Father Patrick R. Dunigan, is an entertaining talker and he will give a lecture that will be appreciated and enjoyed by his auditors. Patrick Dunigan is a man people ought to meet. He is brainy, eloquent and forceful, and his talks come from the shoulder. His subject for next Sunday is "The Decline of Religious Bigotry."

Father Dunigan lives at Lapeer, Mich., and is mayor of his city. He is the only priest that is mayor of any city in all the country.

Arrange to attend the Assembly Sunday.

Thursday afternoon the Pittsburg Ladies' orchestra entertained their audience with some very appropriate selections. Their concert lasted the afternoon.

"The Royal Family of Spain."

This subject was discussed very thoroughly by Mrs. Louise P. Steel, of Dixon. Her description of the various ceremonials of the court of Spain, the marriage, coronations and baptisms throw a splendor that is to be found in no other court in Europe. Mrs. Steel's narratives of the customs, and peculiarities of the Spanish Royal couple, was received with pleasure by those who would know something of the youthful Alphonso XIII, and his young queen, Victoria. The royal children, their amusements and duties were spoken of by Mrs. Steel.

When Mrs. Steel had finished her address the royal family was brought much closer to the audience, the young king and queen will be better thought of for this discussion of Mrs. Steel.

"Dixie After the War."

The Pittsburg Ladies' orchestra opened the Thursday evening program with a few well chosen selections. After their entertainment was over, Mr. Lamar gave his third lecture, "Dixie After the War." Dr. Lamar stated that the southern white people after the war were the poorest on earth. The losses to them after the war were equal to five billions of dollars! The suffering and self-sacrificing of the men after the war were only equalled by the devotion of the splendid southern women. Everything was destroyed, homes, crops, fences were torn down. In every respect the south was a desolate land. Dr. Lamar tells his own story which was that of every plantation owner of the south. He returned, freed his slaves, made them an offer to remain and the majority of them did so. According to Dr. Lamar, the greatest harm was done the south when the demagogues and politicians came down, influenced the ignorant negroes to desire civic

rights, with the result that the south was ruled by the negroes for a brief period, in a most corrupt manner. General Grant was the president who knit the north and the south in a stronger band, and told the south they could have whomsoever they pleased to fill their offices of importance. Then reforms began. The reforms became lasting, and gradually the bonds became so strong that the murmur of war with a foreign country finds the country so strong and united that nothing can withstand them. The Panama Canal will make the south bloom and become the power it once was, and is gradually becoming. The various assets of the southland are its fine farm lands, its increasing manufactures and its splendid white population. The south is doing everything for its negroes with the exception of receiving them socially as equals, and until a short time ago, without suffrage. The negroes have religion, chances to work and other privileges that will help them become men and a benefit to the republic.

The Garden City Movement.

At 4:30 this afternoon Morrison H. Vail of this city discussed "The Garden City Movement" before an appreciative audience in Chautauqua hall. This is one of the latest civic movements for beautifying towns and cities.

Mr. Vail said in part: Ebenezer Howard wrote and published a book in 1898 entitled "Tomorrow; A Peaceful Path to Real Reform," and it was eagerly read by those interested in better housing and city planning problems. Two great hindrances to the success of this movement were the great concentration in the cities of population, its congestion, overcrowding and low standards of life, health and morals, and the depopulation of the country districts with the dearth of farm labor. The Garden City as conceived by Howard was to embody five main essentials. 1. It must be planned in advance with a view to the convenience of the com-

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PLAYED IN ROCHELLE.

The Dixon Marine band went to Rochelle Thursday afternoon, playing a concert on the streets in that city last evening. The engagement of the Dixon band was made by the Rochelle business men.

BIG STORE SOLD.

(Special to The Telegraph.)

Sterling, Aug. 7.—Ahrens' department store, one of the largest mercantile establishments in this city, was today sold to George Mann, who some time ago acquired control of the dry goods department of the institution.

MRS. ARTHUR HANDEL DEAD

Mrs. Arthur Handel died at the hospital at noon today from a complication of diseases. The obituary and funeral notice will be published later. The sudden death comes as a severe blow to the many friends and acquaintances of the deceased.

THRILLS ABOUND

IN "101 RANCH"

MILLER BROS.' PERFORMANCE

THIS YEAR IS SUCCESSION

OF STARTLERS.

That thrills are the soul of life is attested by the absolutely new performance offered this season by Miller Brothers and Edward Arlington's 101 Ranch Real Wild West. Critics

S. ROSENTHAL'S SONS

Big Sale Still On

Lots Of Good Plums Left For The Picking

114 First St. Dixon, Ill.

SEVEN WEEKS CLOSING

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AUGUST 8th. to SEPTEMBER 26th.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF JEWELRY, WATCHES, Clocks, Cut Glass and Hand Painted China AT 25 TO 50 PER CENT DISCOUNT from regular prices which are marked in plain figures.

During these seven weeks we must turn our entire stock into cash and make room for Fall shipments.

Now is your opportunity to buy for present and future needs.

A call will convince you of the big values we are offering.

M. L. WERNER,

JEWELER

213 West 1st St. Dixon, Ill.

and reviewers have all agreed that the program is a succession of thrills system, the main spring of life. The baby must have it; anything to surprise an dthrill the youngster brings instant peace. The child finds thrills in games and the necessity for thrills has been recognized since time began.

Grown people find their thrills in many different ways, but the surprise to be gained in the outdoor arena, the jeopardy in which wild-est participants throw themselves, find thrills galore for young and old alike. In a crisis feats have been performed which never could be duplicated or approached at any other time, tremendous emotion often unlocking power beyond belief.

The expositions of the 101 Ranch Real Wild West to be presented in Dixon on Wednesday, August 26, are the most diverging ever devised, coupling invigorating recreation with a beneficent historical representation, gratifying the appetite of all kind sof men, women and children for the stirring, quickening and thrilling. The most blasé human being capitulates before its hundreds of thrills.

Every person seeks the thrill, consciously or unconsciously, for it is



The bread was poor—they had a quarrel,
Her husband promptly left her.
But he's back again—and here's the moral,
She now makes bread with Zephyr.

Good people, here's what
you may expect when you use

ZEPHYR FLOUR

The same story over and over again. Zephyr Flour is convincing more people every day of its goodness. The lightest, whitest, tastiest bread, the most delicious cake and pastry.

Eat More Good Things Baked With Zephyr Flour

The beauty about it is that housewives can depend on Zephyr Flour being always the same. They are not disappointed by having heavy, soggy bread. The biscuit are light, the cakes are truly delicious.

It's all in the wheat and in the milling.
The people who make Zephyr Flour out of
good, hard wheat go to the trouble and ex-
pense to make it better than any other flour.

Zeph himself

No. 165.

NOTICE OF AWARD OF CONTRACT
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN: That the Board of Local Im-
provements and Council of the City
of Dixon, in the County of Lee and
State of Illinois, at a regular meeting
of said Board and Council held joint-
ly in the Council Room in the City
Hall in said City of Dixon, at 11
o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 3rd
day of August, A. D. 1914 awarded a
contract for the furnishing of all ma-
terials, tools, machinery and labor
for the construction of a vitrified tile
pipe sewer with manholes, flushing
tank, lampholes, catch basins and
stormwater inlets and house connec-
tion laterals in North Crawford Ave-
nue from a point 50 feet north of
Bradshaw Street to the northerly ter-
minus of said North Crawford Ave-
nue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, as
provided for in City of Dixon Local
Improvement Ordinance No. 165, Se-
ries of 1914, to Rink & Schnell of Dix-
on, Illinois.

That said Rink & Schnell was con-
sidered by said Board to be the low-
est responsible bidder, who submit-
ted a proposal to furnish all mate-
rial, tools, machinery and labor for
the construction of said improve-
ment; that the price at which said
Rink & Schnell was awarded said
contract is approximate quantities:

920 linear feet of 12" sewer,
complete at One Dollar
Fourteen cents
(\$1.14) per linear foot. \$1048.80
330 linear feet of 10" sewer,
complete at Ninety-
five (\$3.95) per linear
foot 313.50
342 linear feet of 8" sewer
complete at eighty-five
cents (\$5) per linear
foot 290.70
880 linear feet of 6" house
connection lateral sewer,
complete, at Forty-
five cents (45c) per lin-
ear foot 396.00
6 catch basins with 10"
storm water connection
pipe and trap to man-
hole at Twenty-
seven (\$27) Dollars
each 162.00
3 manholes, complete, at
Thirty-six (\$36.00) dol-
lars each 108.00
1 flushing tank with lamp-
hole, complete, at Sev-
enty-two (\$72.00) Dol-
lars 72.00
All rock excavation, if
any, at \$2.50 Two Dol-
lars and Fifty cents in
addition to above price
per cubic yard of work.

That said Board will on or after
the 15th day of August, A. D. 1914,
enter into a contract with said Rink
& Schnell to furnish all tools, ma-
chinery, material and labor for said
improvement, unless the requisite
number of property owners or their
agents, who shall take oath that they
are such owners or agents shall with-
in ten (10) days after the first pub-
lication of this notice enter into a writ-
ten contract to do the whole of said
work at ten (10) per centum less
than the price at which the same has
been awarded, and commence said
work within thirty (30) days after
such publication and prosecute the
same with diligence.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 6th
day of August, A. D. 1914.

THE BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVE-
MENTS AND COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

By MARK C. KELLER,
1842 Their Attorney.

GUN CLUB SHOOT.

The Grand Detour Gun club will
hold a shoot Aug. 17, which it is
expected will be participated in by
a number of local marksmen.

ing at 7:45.
Teachers' meeting Friday evening
at 7:45.

St. Luke's Church.
Rev. Whitcombe, rector.
Holy Eucharist at 7:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning prayer at 11 a. m.

St. Peter's Church, Grand Detour.
Rev. Whitcombe, rector.
Evening prayer at 7:30.

First Christian Church.
Samuel E. Fisher, Minister.
The pastor will preach at the
morning service. There will be no
evening services until September 6.
The official board will meet after
the morning service.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.
Theo. Drexel, Pastor.
There will be no service Sunday
morning, the pastor going to Frank-
lin Grove.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
No evening service during the hot
season.

Leakes Drug Co. has on hand for
the relief of those suffering from
aching, tired feet, that well known
food powder, Healo. None better.

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.
In the County Court, September Term,
A. D. 1914.

Frank Young, Administrator with the
Will annexed of the Estate of
Francis Miller, Dec'd

vs.
Margaret Hewitt, Robert A. Hewitt,
James Miller, Samuel F. Miller,
Kate Miller, Elizabeth Young,
Frank Young, in his own right,
Wm. J. Miller, and Mrs. M. J.
Miller, Mary Jane Nevins,
Herbert Nevins, Josiah Miller, Mat-
tie Miller, Lester Hoyle, and, the
"Unknown Owners of certain real
estate in the County of Lee and
State of Illinois, described as fol-
lows, to-wit: The North One-half
of the Southwest Quarter, and all
that part of the Northwest Quarter
lying South of the Chicago Road—
All in Section Nineteen, Town
Twenty-one, East, Range Nine, con-
taining One Hundred eighty-two
and twenty-two one-hundredths
Acres, more or less."

Affidavit of the non-residence of
James Miller, Samuel F. Miller, Mrs.
Samuel F. Miller, Wm. J. Miller, Mrs.
Wm. J. Miller, Josiah Miller, Mattie
Miller, defendants above named, hav-
ing been filed in the office of the clerk
of the County Court of Lee County,
notice is hereby given to the said
James Miller, Samuel F. Miller, Mrs.
Samuel F. Miller, Wm. J. Miller, Mrs.
Wm. J. Miller, Josiah Miller, Mattie
Miller, that the said plaintiff, Frank
Young, administrator with the Will
annexed of the Estate of Francis Mil-
ler, deceased, has filed his petition in
the said County Court of Lee County
for an order to sell the premises be-
longing to the Estate of said deceased,
or so much of it as may be need-
ed to pay the debts of said deceased,
and described as follows, to-wit:

The North One-half of the South-
west Quarter, and all that part of
the Northwest Quarter lying South
of the Chicago Road—all in Section
Nineteen, Town twenty-one, East,
Range Nine, containing One Hun-
dred eighty-two and twenty-two
one-hundredths Acres, more or
less, situated in Lee County, Illi-
nois,

and that a summons has been issued
out of said Court against you, return-
able at the September, A. D. 1914.
Term of said Court, to be held on
the first Monday of September, A. D.
1914, at the Court House in Dixon in
Lee County, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said James
Miller, Samuel F. Miller, Mrs. Samuel
F. Miller, Wm. J. Miller, Mrs. Wm.
J. Miller, Josiah Miller, and Mattie
Miller, and, the "Unknown Owners of
certain real estate in the County of
Lee and State of Illinois, described as
follows, to-wit:

The North One-half of the South-
west Quarter, and all that part of
the Northwest Quarter lying South
of the Chicago Road—all in Section
Nineteen, Town twenty-one, East,
Range Nine, containing One Hun-
dred eighty-two and twenty-two
one-hundredths Acres, more or
less,"

shall personally be and appear before
said County Court of Lee County on
the 1st day of a term thereof, to be
held at Dixon, in said County, on
the 1st Monday of September, A. D.
1914, and plead, answer or demur
to the said complainant's petition filed
therein, the same and the matters
and things therein charged and stated
will be taken as confessed, and a de-
cree entered against you according to
the prayer of said bill.

Dixon, Illinois, July 31, 1914.

WILLIAM C. THOMPSON,
Clerk.

Trusdell, Smith & Leech,
Complainant's Solicitors.

July 31 7 14 21

A box of Healo would indeed be a
great addition to every lady's toilet
during the hot summer days. You will
find it at Sullivan's drug store.

Those getting the Telegraph by
mail, look for the little yellow tag. It
gives the date to which your paper is
paid.

Ten song books left, 49 and 79
cents. Worth \$1 and \$2.50. Tele-
graph office.

Keeley Treatment
For Drunken-
ness,
Opium,
Morphine,
and other Drug Using, the Tobacco Habit and
Nervousness. Correspondence strictly confidential.
THE KEELEY INSTITUTE, Dwight, Ill.

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No. 149, Series 1913.
FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given
that the Board of Local Improve-
ments of the City of Dixon, in the
County of Lee and State of Illinois,
caused to be filed in the County Court
of said County of Lee on the 29th
day of July, A. D. 1914, a certificate
showing the final cost of constructing
vitrified tile pipe sewer, for sanitary
purposes, with manholes, storm water
inlets and house connection laterals
on East Sixth Street, Ottawa Avenue
and East Seventh Street in said City
of Dixon under and in pursuance of
City of Dixon Local Improvement Or-
dinance No. 149, Series of 1913, and
the amount estimated by said Board
to be required to meet the accruing
interest on bonds and vouchers issued
to anticipate the collection of the as-
sessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said
work has been done and completed
by the contractor doing the work in
substantial conformity to the require-
ments of said ordinance and has been
duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement
and the amount estimated for inter-
est as shown on said certificate are as
follows:

1101	linear feet of 15"	
	sewer at One (1) dol-	
	lar per linear foot. .	\$1101.00
742	linear feet of 10"	
	sewer at Seventy-nine	
	(79) cents per linear	
	foot	586.18
26	linear feet of 10"	
	stormwater sewer at	
	seventy-nine (79)	
	cents per linear foot.	23.44
722	linear feet of 6"	
	house connectio- lat-	
	erals at Thirty-five	
	(35) cents per linear	
	foot	252.70
6	manholes at Thirty-	
	nine and one-fourth	
	(39.25) dollars each.	235.50
1	cement concrete head-	
	er	2.25
33.74	cubic yards of rock	
	excavation at Two and	
	one-fourth (2.25)	
	dollars per cubic yard	210.92

Total cost of work. . \$2416.99

Public notice is further given that
the court has set said certificate and
any objections that may be filed
therein for hearing at 9 o'clock in the
forenoon on Monday, the 24th day of
August, A. D. 1914, or as soon there-
after as the business of the court will
permit.

Said hearing will be held in the
County Court Room in the Court
House in the City of Dixon, County of
Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file ob-
jections before the time set for hear-
ing and appear and show cause why
said petition shall not be taken as
true.

Dated this 3rd day of August, A.
D. 1914.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVE-
MENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON,
ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLAR, ITS ATTOR-
NEY. 1805

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Warrant Under Local Im-
provement Ordinance No. 156, Se-
ries 1913.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given
that the County Court of Lee County,
Illinois, has rendered judgment for
special assessment upon the property
benefited by the following improve-
ment: The construction of vitrified
rick or block pavement on North Sa-
vena Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illi-
nois, from the north line of Fellows
street northerly to the north line of
he right-of-way of the Illinois Cen-
tral Railroad Company, as will more
fully appear from a certified copy of
aid judgment now on file in my of-
ice and that a warrant for the collec-
tion of such assessment is in the
hands of the undersigned.

Said assessment is payable in ten
10) annual installments. The
amount of the first installment is
\$2169.36 and is due and payable on
or before January 2nd, 1915. The last
ten installments are each for the
amount of \$1300.00 and one of such
installments is due and payable Jan-
uary 2nd in each of the years 1916,
1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922,
1923 and 1924 both inclusive. All
such installments bear interest at the
rate of five per cent per annum, pay-
able annually, on the 2nd day of July,
from the 18th day of June, A. D.
1914.

All persons interested are hereby
notified to call and pay the amount
assessed against the premises rep-
resented by them in the assessment roll
which has been heretofore confirmed
in the County Court, at the Collec-
tor's office in the City Hall in the City
of Dixon within thirty days from and
after the date hereof, if you desire to
top interest on your said assessment.
Dated this 29th day of July, A. D.
1914.

Signed, BLAKE GROVER,
65 Collector.

ANNOUNCEMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date for the office of County Treasurer
of Lee County subject to the Repub-
lican primaries to be held on Sep-
tember 9, 1914.

Your vote and your influence will
be appreciated. JOHN E. MOYER.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candi-
date on the republican ticket for rep-
resentative in congress from the 13th
congressional district subject to the
primary to be held September 9th
next.

JOHN C. M'KENZIE.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a
candidate for the nomination for the
office of Sheriff of Lee County, on
the Republican ticket, at the pri-
maries to be held on September 9, 1914.
I will appreciate the support of the
voters.

A. T. TOURTILLOTT.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I, the undersigned, announce my-
self as a candidate on the Republi-
can ticket for the nomination for
State Representative, from the Thir-
ty-Fifth Seatorial District of the
State of Illinois, subject to the will
of the voters at the Republican pri-
maries, to be held on September 9,
1914.

WILLIAM L. LEECH.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The undersigned announces his
andidacy for the nomination of
ounty Treasurer of Lee County on
e Republican ticket, subject to the
ill of the voters at the primaries,
ept. 9, 1914.

C. P. REID.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am a Progressive candidate at
the September Primary election for
Treasurer of Lee county. I respect-
fully submit my candidacy to the voters
of our county and will appreciate
very much your support.

Yours truly,
E. J. COUNTRYMAN.

64tf

ANNOUNCEMENT

I, the undersigned, announce my-
self as a candidate for the nomination
or sheriff of Lee county on the re-
publican ticket, at the primaries Sep-
ember 9th, 1914, subject to the will
f the voters. I will appreciate your
support.

47-tf.

W. J. EDWARDS.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce my candidacy
or the nomination on the Republican
ticket, for the office of County Judge
of Lee county, subject to the will of
he voters at the republican primaries
Sept. 9th, 1914. Your support will
be appreciated.

JOHN B. CRABTREE.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Bring your copper plate to The
Evening Telegraph office when you
need a renewal of engraved calling
or business cards.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all per-
sons interested that the City of Dixon
has by Local Improvement Ordinance,
Number 169, Series of 1914, passed
by the City Council of said City
on June 29, 1914, and approved
by the Mayor of said City June 29,
1914, ordered the construction of Vit-
rified Tile Pipe Sewer for sanitary
and storm water purposes, on certain
streets and avenues in said City, as
specified in said ordinance; that said
ordinance is now on file in the office
of the City Clerk of said City; that
application has been made to the
County Court of Lee County, Illinois,
for an assessment of the cost of said
improvement, according to the bene-
fits as provided by law and said or-
dinance; that an assessment therefor
has been made and returned to said
Court and that the final hearing
thereon will be held before the said
Court, in the County Court room, in
the Court House, in Dixon, in said
Lee County, at nine o'clock a. m. on
Friday, the 28th day of August, 1914,
or as soon thereafter as the business
of the said court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objec-
tions to said assessment in said court,
before said time and may appear at
said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in Ten
(10) annual installments and all in-
stallments bear interest at the rate of
Five per cent per annum, according
to law, until paid.

Dated August 4, 1914.

JOHN J. ARMSTRONG,

1815 Commissioner.

Old-fashioned college songs for
the young folks. A larger variety.
Many, many songs in this large
book for 59 cents at The Evening
Telegraph office.



Steamship Wharf, St. Louis, Mo.

Today from your railroad agent, or write
the Rapid Remedy Company, 100
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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE

THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

If You Want to Buy a Farm, or Rent or Buy a House, or Insure Your Property or Automobile, See—

Downing & Fruin
Ground Floor, Corner First and Galena Ave. Phone 293
REAL ESTATE, LOANS Residence Phones: Downing, 12593
AND INSURANCE Fruin, 13625

WANTED

WANTED Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED—Five hundred Men, Women and children to bring their shoes to us for repairing. Our work is the best that labor and material can produce. Full line of foot-cases, polish for white and black shoes, shoe strings and in soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 01 tf.

WANTED. Woodwork or all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, at 213 E. First St. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 Doors East of Hotel Bishop. Phone 737. 41tf

Patronize Home Industry. Have your clothes made by people who makes them. Our clothes are made under our own roofs. We invite all ladies and gentlemen to call and see our tailor shop and how our work is made by skilled tailors. We are making to advertise our work. Men's pants \$4.00 and ladies' skirts \$5.00. D. Kahn & Co., 109 W. First St., Dixon, Ill. 91tf

WOMEN. Set guaranteed hose to friends and neighbors; 70 per cent profit. Make \$10 daily. Experience unnecessary. International Mills, Box 4029, West Philadelphia, Pa. 123 2m*

WANTED. Every person in Dixon suffering from aching, tired feet, to try a box of Healo. Nothing more soothing and restful be convinced. Buy a box from your druggist. tf

WANTED.—Having purchased the Motorcycle Quick Delivery van from C. W. Hamilton, I am now prepared to deliver parcels and goods up to 350 pounds to all parts of the city, at short notice. F. L. BROWN, Phone 221. 148t24

FOR SALE. A beautiful building lot on Third St. Enquire of Miss Mary Wynn, 420 Third St. Home Phone 929. 56tf

WANTED—A housekeeper by an Iowa farmer; one who is thoroughly competent; must be good to children; will pay good price to the right party. For further particulars enquire at this office. 175t12

WANTED. Men to learn barber trade. Can make your entire tuition back while learning if you are a hustler. Position guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. jul27oct27

WANTED. Cottage on the Assembly grounds, immediately after Assembly, for one month. Address R. N. Leslie, DeKalb, Ill. 76 12*

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; two in family. C. J. Finley, 612 S. Ottawa Ave. 179t6*

WANT TO BUY \$9 to 160 acre farm within 20 miles of Dixon, Ill. Must be worth the money. Address No. 696 North Mulberry St., Clinton, Ill. 82 6

WANTED.—To buy, mattress, cot, stair carpet, oil heater and gas plate; not willing to pay big price. Address D., Gen. Del. 182t3*

WANTED. Agents. Good hustling men to sell paints, oils and specialties. Good money to be made by good live hustlers. Pullman Manufacturing Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 82 6*

WANTED. A middle-aged or elderly woman to assist at housework. Will pay good wages. Phone me at Walton or address Mrs. Thomas Dwyer, Box 26, Route No. 6, Amboy, Ill. 80 6

FOR SALE.—Four burner gas stove with oven and broiler. Can be seen at 421 Third avenue, near Milk Factory. 182t3

WANTED.—A good girl or boy to help in restaurant. Phone 35400. 183t3

Strong, Agent. College of Music.

133 24

FOR SALE. A splendid place for sale cheap. All kinds of fruit on the place; apples, peaches, pears, cherries, grapes and strawberries in abundance. Alfalfa enough for keeping a horse and cow. Good house and barn, fine well and cistern; an ideal place for a home. Godfrey Werren, Grand Detour, Dixon, Route 3. 26-24*

FOR SALE. 7 well improved corn farms near Hoopston at very attractive prices; write for particulars. George E. Tribbey, 522 East Penn St., Hoopston, Ill. 40 1m*

FOR SALE—Threshing outfit: 1 Buffalo Pitts engine, 20 H. P.; 1 Minneapolis 40-inch cylinder separator; J. I. Case separator, 36-inch cylinder; 1 Nichols & Sheppard engine, 16 H. P.; Minneapolis corn sheller, almost new. Geo. Ulrich, Lee Center, Ill. Phone No. 9. 82t6

Would consider property in Dixon as part payment on fine, rich tract of new farm land here. Here's a chance to get a big farm of rich, virgin land, newly planted, that will grow the finest of wheat, barley, oats, lax, rye, potatoes, alfalfa, vegetables, etc., and should soon be worth treble its present value. Delightful, healthful climate. Investigate and learn the truth. You will find this worthy of prompt action. "Doc" C. L. JOHNSON, Dunkirk, Mont. 145tf

FOR SALE. High class productive corn farm, 320 acres, Hamilton township, Lee county, Ill.; no waste land. This is a rare opportunity to purchase a No. 1 farm. Straight sale basis only. Will not consider any exchange proposition. A. H. Gaumer, Urbana, Ohio. 169 24

FOR SALE.—A couch. Telephone 32, or call at No. 515 E. Second St. 77tf

FOR SALE or Rent.—A six room residence. P. O. Box 105, Compton, Ill. 148tf

FOR RENT.—320-acre farm, all black soil; well drained; in good state of cultivation. Would like a good stock man. Located 3½ miles southeast of Harmon, Lee county. G. W. Swartz, phone 13519. 182t6

HEALO!—Is a foot powder of unusual merit—be convinced by trying a box.

LOST

LOST—Black leather purse, on North Side, containing a sum of less than \$10. Finder please return to "Linn," care of this office. 81t3

MARKETS

Corn 72 74
Oats 30 31
Butter 22 27
Eggs 18 22
Lard 11 15
Potatoes 1.15 1.40
Potatoes 1.10
Creamery butter 23

FURNISHED BY WALTER FITCH & CO., CHICAGO—CHAS ANDERSON DIXON, MANAGER

Chicago, Aug. 7 1914

Wheat	Sept	91	93%	89%	92%
Dec	97	98½	95	97%	
May	105	106	103	105½	

North Dakota farm for Dixon business or good residence property, 320 acres level, black soil. Red River Valley, two miles from good town. F. Overstreet, Tuscola, Ill. 40 24

FOR SALE. Northwest Missouri corn, clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil trap free. Bazel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Mo. 91tf

FOR SALE. For the next 30 days I will offer the following property for sale: One modern 6 room cottage and three vacant lots in West Dixon, near shoe factory; 6 beautiful lots on North Crawford Ave., where the extended street car line passes, and 6 lots on East River St. Thos. Young, 316 Third St. 81tf

FOR SALE. My residence on Squire avenue. J. J. Thoma 89tf

FOR SALE. Barn. For further information telephone 357. tf

FOR SALE. A lot in Amboy. Enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Dixon, Ill. tf

FOR SALE. A high class Case & Baker player piano at a bargain to introduce them in this vicinity. W. F. ly Telegraph. Price \$150 a year.

TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.
Local Express, Dlx ex Sun 7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp.: 11:16 a. m.
31 Clinton Exp.: 5:10 p. m.
Amboy Freight: 8:50 a. m.
North Bound.
132 Waterloo Exp.: 9:59 a. m.
24 Local Mail: 5:35 p. m.
20 Local Exp.: 8:16 p. m.
Freepoint Freight: 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified.

East Bound to Chicago.
No. 1. Lv. Dixon 6:45 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.
28 7:22 a. m. 10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.
10 10:58 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.
14 1:16 p. m. 4:00 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:50 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.
No. 1. Lv. Chicago 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.
9 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
19 10:15 a. m. 12:50 p. m.
9 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. 7:25 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.
7 10:02 p. m. 12:36 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
No. 1. Lv. Dixon 11:52 a. m.
801 8:35 Peoria Pas. 11:52 a. m.
*Los Angeles Limited.
No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo. or beyond.

SAMARTAIN ARMY OPENING IN THIS CITY

Staff Captain and Mrs. McKarn, Capt and Mrs. Hartman and Capt. L. Hanner have arrived in this city from Stational headquarters at Chicago, to establish a work here known as the Samartain Army. They expect to open a home here for homeless and friendless women and children, also a free day nursery and also a mission hall. They will hold meetings nightly on the street, visit the sick and care for the poor. Capt. and Mrs. Hartman, Capt. L. Hanner will be the officers in charge.

How many men and women are suffering from aching, tired feet when the well known foot powder, Healo, would bring them great relief? Ask

NURSES.

When you need record sheets, call at the Evening Telegraph office. We have them in blocks of 50.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Minneapolis Journal: The fatal pestilences that used to ravage the world have been all but abolished. Typhoid fever would follow them soon if its infection-bearer resided in insect instead of in human bodies. It has disappeared already in disciplined services, where science can reach it through government authority. Some time perhaps human units will submit to the discipline of science or the individual will learn to protect the body.

HEARD IN DIXON

How Bad Backs Have Been Made Strong—Kidney Pills Corrected.

All over Dixon you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills save keeping up the good work. Dixon people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lame, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Dixon citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you.

Mrs. J. Helfrich, R. F. D. No. 4, Dixon, says: "While I have never taken Doan's Kidney Pills myself, I can strongly recommend them and I am glad to confirm the public statement one of my family gave in their praise some years ago. For a long time he suffered from irregular action of his kidneys. He also had backache and found relief only when he used Doan's Kidney Pills, that he got at Leake Bros' Drug Store. They stopped the pain and restored his kidneys to a normal condition."

Mrs. Helfrich is one of many Dixon people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Helfrich recommends—the remedy backed by home testimony.

50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

\$190 IS FOUND IN POKETS

Body Discovered by Clam Diggers Bears No Marks of Identification.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—The body of a well dressed man with \$190 in his pockets was taken from the Fox river, between Montgomery and Oswego, Ill., by two clam diggers. According to Coroner T. B. Drew of Kendall county the body had been in the water more than a week.

There were no marks of identification. The man was apparently about forty-five years of age, 5 feet 4 inches in height, weighed 140 pounds, and wore a black suit and black shoes. He was bald, having a fringe of dark brown hair tinged with gray and a sandy, stubby mustache.

CANAL BOARD FACING SUIT

Failure to Return Statement Results in Increase of Taxes.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 7.—Will county is facing another legal battle with the sanitary district of Chicago. Taxes and the assessment of Assessor Frank Sloan of Lockport township will be the issue. Clerk Leo Melcher of the board of review notified the district's attorneys that its personal assessment had been increased by their failure to return a proper statement to Assessor Sloan this spring.

Because the district neglected or purposely declined to return a statement to the assessor the official entered a penalty by increasing the assessment 50 per cent. The action brings the total assessed valuation of the district's personal tax up to \$135,631. Last year it was placed at \$90,421 by the Lockport assessor.

FIVE "HONOR" MEN WILL GET FREEDOM

Sentences Are Commuted Under New System by Gov. Dunne.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—The honor system inaugurated by Warden Allen at the Joliet state penitentiary bore fruit and reward came to the men who come under the new plan when Governor Dunne commuted the sentences of five convicts serving indeterminate terms. The men received the shortening of their time on account of good work done at the honor camps on the roads of the state. They are:

Oscar Pasche, sentenced at the November term, 1910, of the Cook county criminal court for assault to murder; sentence to expire Aug. 13.

Charles Fitch, sentenced at the February term, 1913, of the Cook county criminal court for robbery; sentence to expire Aug. 9.

Kerock Owizoldianan, sentenced at the October term, 1912, of the Cook county criminal court for robbery; sentence to expire Aug. 9.

Orval Groves, sentenced at the October term, 1911, of the Hancock county circuit court for forgery; sentence to expire Aug. 12.

C. H. Weber, sentenced at the April term, 1913, of the LaSalle county circuit court for burglary; sentence to expire Aug. 9.

FINK'S HEALTH IS FAILING

Former Broker Says He Will Not Survive Winter in Prison.

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 7.—Henry J. Fink, broker, convicted of embezzlement from Belleville, who is in the state penitentiary at Chester, told a dozen people from Belleville who attended the taking of depositions Tuesday that he will not live through the winter if he is kept in prison. He stated that during last winter he became so cold he could hardly stand it at times. He intimated to his listeners that he hoped to get out of prison before another winter.

He was given an indeterminate sentence Oct. 17 last, and on that date this year he will be taken before the board and his sentence fixed for the rest of the time. Belleville friends of Fink are hoping he will be pardoned after that.

DEMOCRAT IS OUT OF RACE

Rendleman Withdraws in Twenty-fifth District.

Duquoin, Ill., Aug. 7.—A ripple of surprise was created in political circles by the announcement that Andrew J. Rendleman of Murphysboro had withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for congress from this (the Twenty-fifth) district. Rendleman is also a candidate for the Democratic nomination for superintendent of the Jackson county schools.

Big German Ships Seized.
London, Aug. 7.—The Hamburg-American line steamers Kronprinzessin Cecilie and Prinz Adalbert have been seized by British warships. They are now lying at Falmouth.

The cruiser Highflyer brought the steamer Tubantia, from Buenos Ayres, for Hamburg, carrying a large quantity of gold and scores of German reservists into Plymouth harbor.

Thirty German ships have so far been captured by England. They include a trawler, taken near the Orkney Islands off the north of Scotland. The British steamer Kemerick, from Galveston for Bremen, was captured off West Fastnet and taken to Queenstown.

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The theft of governmental funds in Hayti is very common. If one of the subjects or officials is caught in the act, or even suspected along such a line, it is merely a question whether he lives or dies. In such cases the president drops clay manikins on the cement floor of his private office. If the manikin breaks the prisoner dies. If it fails to break he lives as long as the moist atmosphere of the prison he is confined in will let him.

Knowledge of the Ancients.
From various prehistoric implements and ornaments found in Egypt, Professor Handcock, an Englishman, has concluded that the ancient peoples of that land used face paint; that the early pre-dynastic Egyptians were a neolithic people, having been skilled in the making of flints and very early learning the use of copper and gold, and that from the earliest times they knew how to navigate sailing boats and rowboats.

To Set Stencil Colors.
After stenciling, if you will press a hot flatiron over the pattern stenciled, you will find that it makes the color fast so that it cannot be washed out when the fabric is laundered. If you have mixed too much oil with the paints and smeared the fabric, place a blotter over the smear and press with a hot flatiron. The oil will have been absorbed when the blotter is lifted, so that it is not noticeable.

Offended Esthetic Taste.
"The natural refinement of the feminine character cannot be wholly subdued," said one London policeman. "Just so," replied the other. "What has happened now?" "A militant suffragette has turned a bomb into a police headquarters. It was a perfectly good bomb, but she didn't approve of its hand decorations."—Washington Star.

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 Rebel Leader Makes Request in "Friendly Spirit."

CARBAJAL TO GIVE UP CAPITAL
 Treaty of Peace is Signed for Constitutional Forces to Take Over Mexico City—No Conditions Are Made Regarding Guarantees to Federalists—Rebels Marching.
 Washington, Aug. 7.—General Carranza, constitutional leader, has requested the United States "in a friendly way" to withdraw the American fleet from Mexican waters, state department officials stated. Orders directing return of the American squadron were considered.
 Capital Surrendered to Rebels.
 Mexico City, Aug. 7.—Peace for Mexico City at least now seems a certainty. The council of war, consisting of 112 generals, has decided upon the unconditional surrender of the city to the constitutionalists.
 No guarantees will be requested of General Carranza, the constitutionalist leader.
 President Carbalja received a message from General Obergon dated Penjamo, State of Guanajuato, in which Obergon called upon Carbalja to resign, informing him that the constitutional army was marching on the capital.

BRITISH CRUISER HITS MINE AND GOES DOWN
 Amphion Was Picking Up Men from Ship It Sunk.

London, Aug. 7.—The British cruiser Amphion was sunk by striking a mine on the coast of Holland and 131 lives were lost. The admiral made the following announcement:
 "The Amphion sank this morning after striking a mine. Paymaster Gedge and 130 men were lost. The captain and sixteen officers and 115 men were saved."
 It is believed that the Amphion struck a mine laid by the Lusitania while maneuvering to rescue some of the men swimming in the sea from the stricken German liner.
German Defeat Confirmed.
 Washington, Aug. 6.—American diplomatic dispatches from Belgium confirm Brussels reports of a heavy German defeat at Liege. The Germans were caught between two forts. The annihilation of some Belgian troops in a furious charge on overwhelming German forces was reported.
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Want to Be Policewomen.
 Chicago, Aug. 7.—Nearly 100 women applicants took the examination for policewomen before the civil service commission. All took the mental test and many who failed at the last physical examination were being given another chance to qualify.

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 Daughters of the poor read the glowing advertisements of the seaside resorts and laugh impatiently at the thoughts which find lodgment in their breast for one little moment that they might go there. If it is a hard pull for the family to meet expenses as it is, a girl but adds to their worry when she shows that she is downhearted because she must stay at home.
 She doesn't see the need of fixing over her white dresses or fixing over her last year's hat, declaring there will be no one in town to see them. As the warm days roll around, she is amazed to see how many young men she knows have not gone, but are tacking way at business just as though the thermometer didn't register 90 in the shade. Summertime is a revelation to the girl who has never yet been able to attract a beau.
 She finds that young man whom she had been introduced to in the winter-time, and whom she had not seen since, were just beginning to call upon her to see if they could find at least

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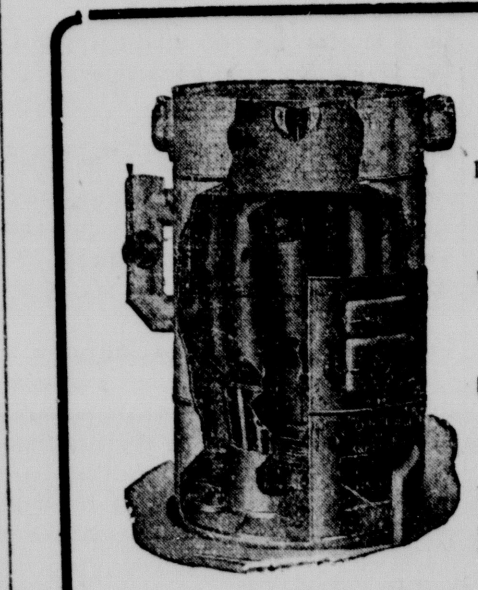
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